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FORGOTTEN.

A little year or so ago
She sparkled everywhere,
With shoulders bare and face aglow,
The fairest of the fair.
We read about her every day
As having been at this or that,
At club or tea or ball or play,
Attraction centered where she sat.

A little year or so ago
She swayed a certain set.
Without her functions failed, but, oh,
How quickly we forget!
The men who flocked around her then
Now flatter other girls, and they
That read her name with envy when
She swayed ne'er think of her today.

A preacher said some words, and, lo,
A maiden ceased to be!
The fair one people used to know,
Oh, where, oh, where is she?
There's one who bends with loving gaze
O'er something small and frail and sweet.
I wonder if she mourns the days
When all the world was at her feet?
—Chicago Record-Herald.

MARRIAGE AT THE SCAFFOLD

In the seaport of Calais, which for over 100 years was under the power of the English, there once lived a bachelor, Josse Dullart, who had come there to carry on business. He was a native of Bailleul-en-Flandre, well qualified to secure for the London merchants the wool of which the Flemish weavers make their various materials and to derive an honest profit from each. Naturally, because of his commercial subtlety and because of the pleasant and comfortable life which came to him in consequence, our man became exposed to the jealousies and ill will of the other tradesmen, English for the most part. He did not know it, since the hypocrites allowed nothing to become evident, but, on the contrary, made every endeavor to present an agreeable exterior to him, so as not to compromise in the least the slight advantages which accrued to them through his kindliness. Nevertheless they decided to ruin him and to that end contrived a device so black and so wicked that Sir Satan himself in his demoniacal mind could not have imagined a better. In pursuance of the scheme one of them secretly concealed in the house of Josse Dullart a leather bag containing a sum of 100 livres sterling in gold crowns. Having done this, he went to the criminal magistrate with two comrades as witnesses to accuse his colleague of having robbed him.

At that remote period there had not yet appeared under the canopy of heaven any of the impudent sharpers, sluggards and swindlers who in the course of time have shamelessly said and written that ownership means theft, and the money earned by some is so much lost by others, with the sole intent that they may put everything into confusion and be able easily to slip into their purses that which is another's.

The world has indeed heard of much folly and seen many iniquities, but not that, and human justice, which had never known of any jesting upon the matter, would have hung their like high and in short order, dealing with them precisely as she would with veritable robbers.

Who was amazed at seeing the policeman of the provostship invade his home, ransack his coffers and chests, produce from them a sack of gold of which he knew nothing and a legal clerk take down disquieting notes of the affair in his illegible scrawl? It was the ill fated Dullart.

The poor fellow strove with them in vain, vowing to God his innocence, but words could not prevail against deeds. Now, he could not explain how the sack, the evidence of his crime, had come into his possession, whence it followed that the innocent man was condemned to the halter as if he had been guilty.

The affair, however, let loose in an uproar all the devils of Calais. Think of it—a great merchant, with a house of his own, convicted of common larceny, like a vulgar rascal!

In the end the populace, while it was not privy to the plot laid by a half dozen arrant rogues, was nevertheless not mistrustful. It rather inclined in favor of the pitiable citizen of Bailleulois. This without taking into consideration the peasants on the outskirts of the town, who were French, not having been expelled from their fireside by the conquerors, as had been the poor commoners of the city, and who hated all the English within their borders.

So it may be said that the throng which swarmed about the streets and crossways on the day when Dullart was to be taken to the gibbet entertained more compassion for him than derision, above all, if you take into account the fact that he was young, good in every respect and of a prepossessing appearance.

From the jail to the gallows Josse walked with bowed head by the side of a priest, who enjoined him to rejoice that he was about to pass into a better world. He did not glance at a single person, so great was the shame he felt on account of the filthy mischief of which he was accused. It was only when he had ascended the first rounds of the fatal ladder, having the cord about his neck, that below the soldiers grouped around the base of the gibbet, he perceived the crowd and recognized among them a fair young woman for whom in happier days he had conceived a tender and violent passion.

At the sight of her he experienced a yet more poignant sorrow at leaving so soon and so painfully an existence from which he had expected to derive such delicate felicities. And then, impelled by a sudden reminiscence and by a natural instinct for preservation, he began to cry out with all his might:

"Loyse, Loyse, by God the Father, the Son and the Holy Ghost, I adjure you! Save my life, claim me in marriage."

The girl stood there trembling with emotion among her companions. Hearing herself thus addressed by name by the prisoner, she became convulsed with agitation; almost unconsciously, half moved by pity, half incited by her neighbors, she approached the gibbet without the police daring to prevent her.

"Oh, Loyse," repeated the prisoner ardently, "I am innocent. I swear it by my eternal salvation! Demand me in marriage, and you will have saved my life!"

She did not know one word to say, she had so lost her senses, but she extended her hand, which the poor devil seized with avidity. Seeing this, the people in all direction began to roar:

"A marriage, a marriage! She has claimed him! Cut the cord, hangman; cut it, cut it!"

The executioner did not cut the rope, but he let it drop, undecided as to what was most expedient for him to do, and as the crowd continued to bellow and even become threatening the officer of the provostship, judging it an opportune time for a delay, led the condemned man back into his cell in order to submit his peculiar case to the law. And the people dispersed content, believing the man from that moment to be saved.

But the stealthy cats did not so easily let go one whom they held in their claws. They had a man to be hanged, a pretty little man, a man over whose hanging they licked their lips, and here how people pretended that he was taken out of their grasp! And why, I ask you? Under the most foolish of pretexts, in the name of some ridiculous custom, some illegal pretense which granted grace, full, free and immediate, to any condemned man whom a woman declared in public to desire in lawful wedlock. Who ever had heard of an equal subterfuge?

But, ah, traditional or written, the law is the law, and the case in question had to be elucidated! Unwillingly rather than willingly they opened an inquest upon the matter in hand to learn whether or not so unreasonable a usage had ever at any period had power by law, which inquest finally established that no similar case had been presented since the time of the conquest in Calais, but that previous to that date there had been many such cases, more particularly in Flanders and in Artois than in Picardy.

In consideration of these indecisive conclusions the enemies of Dullart urged the magistrates to override the law, and the magistrates did not demur. It was the governor who placed an obstacle before them in view of public opinion, which had become greatly agitated over a controversy which had at stake the life of a man made in the image of God. Suddenly that dignitary called to mind the example of prudence offered of yore to the world by that worthy magistrate Pontius Pilate in order that he might avoid thrusting his own finger between the tree and its bark. In place of announcing his fears in public he appealed to his master, King Edward, the fourth of that name, to decide the matter according to his own good pleasure.

The monarch judiciously estimated that one man more or less upon the gallows was of small value in enhancing his glory and bespoke clemency for the case under consideration. He ordained then that the old usages should be conformed with and that full pardon be awarded the condemned man, under the condition, be it well understood, that the solicitor of his love hold him duly to his engagement.

So it came to pass that the good Josse had the rare and marvelous fortune to espouse a gentle and well favored maiden after the approved fashion instead of the cold and grimacing death and to be indebted to his wife for that which ordinarily men owe to their mothers only—that is to say, his life.

A similar occurrence took place a short time afterward unexpectedly at the city of Rouen. As a certain thief, a native of Hautvilliers, was conducted to his fate, a loud old woman stepped out of the crowd below and declared that she desired him in marriage. The prisoner, astonished, considered a moment; then, remarking that the aforesaid person was a homely hag, shook his head and pursued his way to the gallows, observing to the executioner:

"The wench, I don't want her!"

And in a moment he was wedded to the gallows.—Chicago Tribune.

Fled to the Wolves.

For sheer melodrama the English jewel robber Houghton's arrest would be hard to beat. After his last big diamond theft he was traced to West Bromwich and thence led the detectives a dance over the country. At last when the pursuers were hard on his heels he dashed into a traveling menagerie which was exhibiting just outside Birmingham. There he found one of the attendants fastening up a van cage containing a pair of large gray wolves. He flung the man on one side and opened the cage, shutting himself in with the beasts and daring any one to fetch him out. The strange thing was that the wolves, which the proprietor had always considered the most dangerous animals in the show, took no notice whatever of the fugitive, but showed great ill temper toward the keeper and a constable, who had great difficulty in dragging Houghton out.

A Question of Location.

"I thought, count, that you were a dead shot?"

"I am."

"And yet, though you said you would shoot your adversary through the heart, you hit him in the foot."

"It was an error of judgment. I thought his heart was in his boots; it turned out to be in his mouth."—London Telegraph.

LEAF BY LEAF THE ROSES FALL.

Leaf by leaf the roses fall,
Drop by drop the springs run dry;
One by one beyond recall
Summer roses droop and die.
But the roses bloom again,
And the springs will gush anew
In the pleasant April rain
And the summer rain and dew.

So in hours of deepest gloom,
When the springs of gladness fail
And the roses in their bloom
Droop like maidens wan and pale,
We shall find some hope that lies,
Like a silent gem apart,
Hidden far from careless eyes
In the garden of the heart—

Some sweet hope to gladness wed
That will spring afresh and new
When grief's winter shall have fled,
Giving place to rain and dew—
Some sweet hope that breathes of spring
Through the weary, weary time,
Budding for its blossoming
In the spirits' glorious clime.

Some Homemade Spooks.

By... M. QUAD.

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I was putting electric wires into the house of a gentleman named Endriss, living in a fashionable street in London, when one day he invited me into his library, poured me out a glass of wine and then had a story to relate. From his statements it appeared that his mother, who was an old lady of 75, had long been a member of a certain charitable organization, and certain members of it had secured an undue influence over her. She was being persuaded to buy and deed the society a certain house and lot valued at about £3,000, and the son's arguments and protestations had brought about strained relations. The long and short of it was, I think, that the son did not want the money to go out of the family, and he had set his wits to work to invent some scheme to defeat the old lady's intentions. He had got the scheme and now desired my assistance to carry it out. The house stood alone on a large plot of ground and had not been tenanted for several years. The mother was a superstitious woman, who was guided by dreams and omens and had once seen a ghost, and the son proposed to knock her project in the head by producing a haunted house. He wanted ghosts and goblins made to order, and he believed I was the man to put the job through successfully.

He was willing to pay a good price for a good thing, and after two or three meetings we came to a satisfactory understanding. It was a two story brick house, with a cellar and an attic, and the grounds were surrounded by a stone wall. There were three or four old trees, with limbs touching the walls, and the roof was out of repair, and doors and windows were in a dilapidated state. I found the cellar divided by four partition walls, and the rooms were gloomy enough to look at. It was an ideal place for spooks. Down in one corner of the yard was a toolhouse, with a door in the wall opening upon a common, and after spending a couple of hours about the place I reported to Mr. Endriss that I could give him the hauntedest haunted house ever known in England. That door opening on the commons and the high wall around the grounds gave me an opportunity to come and go and do my work without much risk of observation.

The toolhouse had a garret to it, which was dark and damp, and entrance to it was effected by a trapdoor and a ladder, and I took this attic for my headquarters. Thither I carried my electric batteries and other paraphernalia, and for a week I was busy running wires and locating spooks. It tested my ingenuity to run wires along the walls and up and down the trunks of trees and into the house in such a manner that they should be safe from all other eyes, but I carried this matter out very successfully. I had to rip up the flooring and get into the partitions here and there, but my tools left no trace behind.

I do not know how Mr. Endriss worked it, but one day it was whispered about that the old Duff house was haunted. A tramp told a story of being driven out by strange noises, and in 24 hours it was all over the neighborhood. A newspaper had something to say about it in a day or two, and before the week was out two grocer's clerks had decided to pass the night in the haunted house. I was kept posted and was on hand at a proper hour. The young fellows took up their station in the parlor, having candles, cards, drink and a good deal of courage, but they didn't remain all night. Under the floors of the upper and lower halls I had placed two flat pieces of wood in such a way that they would strike together when the electric button was pressed. As those spook defiers sat smoking and bluffing they heard the sound of footsteps in the upper hall. They had to imagine that the footsteps descended the stairs, but they kindly did so. Then they caught them in the lower hall and imagined that an invisible being passed the open parlor door, and the way those chaps got out of that house and over the wall was a sight to see. Their story created intense excitement, and, realizing that his property was in peril, the owner took immediate steps to solve the mystery.

Three nights after the young men had been driven out the owner and two policemen took up their quarters in the house. A thorough search was first made of the premises, and then the trio sat down to wait for spooks. In due time the spooks came. There was no wind outside, but shortly before midnight there was a gusty wail from the floor above, a long drawn wail that seemed to have originated in a graveyard. It was only a whistle of my invention, worked by a valve and a spring, but up went the hair of the three doubting Thomases. The wail was followed by spirit rappings on the wall, and as a finisher there was a soft, sad music from ghostly lips. The police only waited long enough for the owner to suggest that he was sleepy and wanted to go home and go to bed, and then the trio made a bolt for the street. The next day all London was talking about the Duff house, and people came in such crowds and stood around so obstinately that it took two-score policemen to keep the street open.

That was the send off for the haunted house. The owner was literally overwhelmed with letters and interviewers. In one month 5,000 persons wrote him as to how to lay the ghosts. In the same time he had offers from as many more people to pass a night in the house and solve the mystery. He was sharp enough to turn all this to account. When he found that sightseers were coming from all parts of London—aye, from towns 50 miles away—to get a look at the house, he threw it open by day and charged a shilling admission and fairly coined money. Every night for six weeks parties of from two to ten paid money for the privilege of hearing the spooks. In one instance two young bloods paid £15 apiece to have the house to themselves for three hours, and I gave them their money's worth. In another instance a party of 25 was made up at £2 per head, and I routed the whole gang with two long drawn moans as I exhausted the air in an iron cylinder placed in one of the partitions. No one left that haunted house disappointed. They got ghostly footsteps and sighs and wails and soft, sad music till they cared for no more. Several persons were frightened into fits and several more injured in the wild scramble for safety. The lord mayor of London wasn't in it compared with the Duff house.

Mr. Endriss' mother weakened early in the game. She didn't propose to buy haunted houses for anybody, and in this case she felt that murder must have been committed and she might in some way be held as accessory after the fact. In fact, she went right back on her society and turned the money over to her son, and then we had no further use for the house. I was running it as a sort of show, however, being willing to help the owner out, when it took fire and burned to the ground, and the mystery died out in a day.

Confucius Selects a Son-in law.

Confucius was one of the most human of sages, a sort of wiser, better Solomon, who, though he spoke more than "3,000 proverbs," found time to edit, if he did not compose, a great many charming canticles. As a musician he must have enjoyed their harmonies of rhyme and rhythm, attractions which those ancient poems have entirely lost through changes which the language has undergone in the lapse of ages. Here is a fragment that has a history:

A speck upon your ivory fan
You soon may wipe away,
But stains upon the heart or tongue
Remain, alas, for aye.

Hearing a young man repeat these lines from time to time, Confucius chose him for a son-in-law. He showed enough affection for his daughter to select an honest man for her husband, yet he admitted into his collection without note or comment a ballad which has done much to perpetuate among his people a barbarous contempt for women:

When a son is born—in a lordly bed,
Wrap him in raiment of purple and red;
Jewels and gold for playthings bring
For the noble boy who shall serve the king.

When a girl is born—in coarse cloth wound,
With a tile for a toy, let her lie on the ground.
In her bread and her beer be her praise or her blame
And let her not sully her parents' good name.

—North American Review.

He Worked the Ditto.

Tommy was much interested in hearing for the first time in his language lesson the other day about a pair of little dots that the teacher said meant "ditto." How his soul, a curious mixture of laziness and thrift, thrilled at learning that if he were to write "a cat" or "five boys" or "$10" on one line and wanted to repeat the same words or figures on the next line all he had to do, instead of writing the words in full, was to put the ditto marks, and everybody would know it was "a cat" or "five boys" or "$10," as the case might be, that was meant. Some time after this Tommy, while away on a visit, had occasion to write home. He simplified the hated task by turning his latest knowledge to account.

The letter looked like a literary polka dot.

"Dear father," it began.
"I hope you are well.
" " mother is "
" " sister " "
" " Dick " "
" " grandma " "
" wish you were here.
" " mother was "
" " sister " "
" " Dick " "
" " grandma " "
" " you would send me some money.
"Your affectionate son, Tom."

—New York Sun.

Finger Nails.

Very pale nails indicate much infirmity of the flesh and liability to persecutions by neighbors and friends; nails growing into the flesh at the points or sides are indicative of luxurious tastes; white marks on the nails bespeak misfortune; pale or lead colored nails betoken melancholy; broad nails belong to those of gentle, timid, bashful natures; lovers of knowledge and liberal sentiments have round nails; people with narrow nails are ambitious and quarrelsome; small nails belong to small minded, obstinate and conceited people, while choleric, martial men have red and spotted nails.

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THE KICKER FROM START TO FINISH.

Once there was a bouncing "tootsie wootsie" born. His fond daddy turned two handsprings and did a back somersault when he heard he had a son. The son didn't seem to think so much of the proposition. He just squalled and kicked that he was ever born. His lungs were leather, but his yelling, tough as it was, couldn't beat his kicking. He'd kick every blessed cover off his crib. Fond daddy was blind to his faults. He saw in the youthful yeller a modern Samson, a rival Sandow, an all-round star bouncer. Once the kid had a bad dream. He thought he had some kind of a kick coming so he up and landed papa a solar plexus in dreamland. This was too much for papa so he shook up the little rascal just to remind him who was boss.

As a small boy "tootsie wootsie" still had the kicking habit. While other kids threw rocks and struck out with their fists the modern Samson swung his foot high and dry and greeted his antagonist with a swift kick. He learned to swim quicker than the other boys just because he was so well up in the kicking art. The action became an involuntary one with him. Finally he needed no stimulus. He just kicked because he couldn't help it.

As he grew to manhood the physical accomplishment shifted to the brain and he became a lop-sided mental kicker. He didn't use his feet any longer, only to walk on. Perhaps he was afraid of wearing them out too soon. He just invented a little dictionary of his own and with a very limited negative vocabulary proceeded to kick in words. His words were rancid and savored of fire and brimstone, but they didn't kindle any excitement on this earth. They just struck the ground with a sickening thud and ceased to exist. He wasted his fumes in vain, but the involuntary action went on and he became known as the one and only automatic kicker.

One day he kicked the bucket. He descended to Pluto's realm—(this was also an involuntary action.) Once on the edge of the furnace he realized his peril. He didn't like the way the old boy was treating him and so on bended knee he begged him of the lowering horns and switching tail to spare him. He even asked that his soul be put into the carcass of a mule, but his Satanic Majesty struck his trident on the brass before him and straightway forty devils tossed him into the fiery furnace. Then he kicked to get out. He kicked so tenaciously that the devil admired his pluck and offered him a job. He was fished out of the flames, staked out on the shores of the burning lake and there he is to-day kicking himself. This is his only duty. But he must never stop kicking.

Until the bottom falls out of hades Mephistopheles has consented to let him keep this job.

With the Danaae, who have been trying for ages to fill up a seive with water; with Prometheus, who has a vulture feeding on his eternal liver, the kicker kicks.

THE *Calistogian*, Phœnix-like, has arisen from its ashes. Our newsy little contemporary made its appearance on Friday of last week, its regular publication day, without losing an issue. Brother Carroll, its editor and proprietor, lost everything in the Calistoga fire except his credit, as he puts it, but he is still at the old stand striving amid the ruins of his unfortunate town to build it upagain. We fear, however, that Calistoga has received a blow from which she will never recover unless she improves her water system as a preliminary to rebuilding. Of the many burned out in the recent fire the *Calistogian* mentions only a few of its citizens who will rebuild. This is natural, as few people care to put up new and expensive buildings in a town unless it is fortified with ample water facilities for fighting fire and preserving the health of its inhabitants.

THE OBSERVER.

FRIENDSHIP.

I once asked a woman of no mean intelligence what friendship meant to her. She hesitated before answering, but finally said, "friendship to me means confidence. I tell my friends everything and am not afraid to trust them with the most profound secret."

I then asked her if love did not also imply confidence. She answered in the affirmative, but declared that love was different. I did not press her further for this. She had said enough to throw light on the friendship which exists between women.

Can a friendship between two women be as great and as lasting as that between two men?

I say ordinarily—no. In the first place few women have the proper conception of friendship. It means to them, generally, exchange of confidences, likeness of ideas, the granting of favors.

If Mrs. A can tell Mrs. B that she is taking anti fat and feel that her secret will go no further, Mrs. B is her best friend.

If Mrs. B believes in gossiping as much as is possible in an hour Mrs. B is a friend from the word go.

If the supply of potatoes runs out and Mrs. B loans a dozen for dinner she is the dearest, sweetest thing in the world, and Mrs. A declares a friend in need to be a friend indeed.

Friendships built on so unstable foundations cannot be great or lasting. They may be ardorous as love but are too often as variable. Women do not seem to have a knowledge of that code of unwritten law which cements every true friendship—in fact makes friendship possible. Some would fly in the face of the Devil himself were there no written commandments, and yet they regard public opinion. This unwritten law they respect. If they did not they would not be tolerated by society. But there are no restrictions beyond the individual in regard to the code which attaches itself to friendship.

A woman may betray her best friend and the breach is but a limited one. She may desert her and need but make peace with her conscience. Because a reckoning is made with the individual and not with the world, friendship's unwritten law is either purposely ignored or its importance is under-estimated by the average woman.

To man there is an understood code upon which the very life of friendship is dependent.

Commandments are not necessary. Reason is sufficient. The kernel of friendship between men is confidence, but not the confidence that exists between women—the keeping of secrets.

Friendship is a feeling of mutual esteem. It is unselfish. It implies congeniality, confidence and forbearance. As such men understand it. Confidence—the kernel of man's friendship—is the trust one has in another to respect and uphold his interests under any circumstances whatsoever.

The account of all dreadful panics never fails to impress upon us the cowardice of the human race—the awful truth of the struggle for existence. The weak fall helplessly before the strong and chivalry, that ideal spirit of poetry and romance, proves to be but a thin veneer with which society gilds itself. The recent steamer disaster in Alaskan waters tells a harrowing tale. It despoils the dreamer of many pretty thoughts, but it is stern, indisputable reality.

When an American marries a native in New Mexico he is said to be galvanized. If he marries a white girl he is probably said to be victimized.

The hero of the Selby robbery has hibernated. Folsom prison is now his domicile.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Other Matters of Interest to the General Reader.

Miss Vinnie Morris was a visitor in San Francisco last week.

Lawyer Robt. Poppe transacted legal business in the Superior Court Monday.

Judge Davis of Tulare has been the guest of his brother Dr. H. H. Davis at Eldridge.

Newton Kelsey, formerly of Locust Grove, entered the University of California this semester.

Mrs. Georgiana Schell of Schellville was the guest of Mrs. Lulu de Emparan several days this week.

Mrs. Robt. Clark has returned to her home in Agua Caliente after a visit with San Francisco relatives.

Miss Maggie Humphreys and her sister Mrs. Daisy Walker and Master Walker have been in Oakland this week.

Dr. G. D. Rich has rented the McHarvey cottage on Napa street, which he will furnish artistically for his fiancee Miss Vinnie Morris.

The lawn social given by the M. E. Church ladies Friday night of last week was well attended. Rev. C. L. Peterson and his pleasant young wife did all in their power to entertain the company assembled.

Prof. H. G. Maxwell, who is now a resident of the metropolis, was in town Saturday. Mr. Maxwell, since his leave-taking several months ago, has been greatly missed in musical circles in our valley.

Mrs. Wm. McPherson Hill, whose life has been despaired of for some time, is now much improved. She will shortly be able to leave the San Francisco sanitarium to which she has so long been confined.

Miss Edna Montgomery of San Francisco has plighted her troth to Capt. Bryant, U. S. A. Miss Montgomery is well known here, where her talent and vivacity have won her many friends. Capt. Bryant is a wealthy young officer of the regular army and is at present stationed in the Philippines.

Dr. A. E. Osborne went to Ukiah this week.

Miss Eva Church is the guest of city relatives.

Mrs. L. H. Green has been entertaining the past week Miss Linehan of Oakland.

Mrs. Robt. Hill and a party of lady friends drove to the Petrified Forest Tuesday.

Miss Natalie Haraszthy returned from San Francisco Wednesday to her home Willows Wild.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Calderwood and child have returned to their farm after several years absence.

Mrs. M. Zoberbier has returned to her Agua Caliente home after a ten-day's visit in San Francisco.

S. Ciucci, mine host of the Toscano Hotel, visited Santa Rosa on business last Monday.

Three bus loads of pleasure-seekers went to the circus Wednesday from the California Home at Eldridge.

Senator R. Porter Ashe was up from his city home last week rusticating at his country place near Glen Ellen.

R. G. Shoults, the druggist, has been confined to his home the past few days with a severe attack of chicken pox.

Alexander Gordenker has given up his position on the San Francisco *Wave* and is connected with a corresponding bureau in Southern California.

R. Pasche is visiting his uncle S. Schocken. Mr. Pasche is one of the owners of the Palm cigar store near the Cafe Zinkand, Market street, San Francisco.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. O. Palstine tendered them a farewell visit one night this week. There was no end of merrymaking and the evening was pronounced by all present the jolliest on the visiting calendar. Mr. and Mrs. Palstine have been numbered among Sonoma's most charming young married people and our loss will certainly be Downieville's gain.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Horne, for the past year residents of this valley, have given up the Maxwell place to reside in Santa Rosa. With that object in view they have leased the handsome residence of J. H. Kinsel on McDonald avenue in that city and will take possession September 1st. During their residence here they were liberal patrons of our tradespeople.

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SUPERIOR COURT NOTES

Both calendars in the Superior Court were called by Judge Dougherty Monday. A resume of the day's proceedings follows:

The matter of the probating of the will of the late Stephen Martinoni was submitted and taken under advisement.

M. D. Hyde was appointed guardian of the estate of Ella N. Hand, an insane person, in a bond of $100. A. H. Yordi was appointed attorney *amicus curiæ* in this proceeding.

The second annual account of the estate of Augustina Barbarin was settled.

Notice to creditors was established in the estate of Louis Hendrix

Probate matters continued: Estates of Squire Butcher, James Aitken, G. B. Williams and Andrew Cunningham to August 26th; F. Yordi will contest to September 23d.

In Department One in the divorce suit of Lucy A. de Prati against Ernest de Prati, the matter was submitted and taken under advisement.

The trial of the action of Horn vs. Smith was set for August 26th.

The arraignment of G. Guaglia on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon was continued to August 26th.

The Socrates Quicksilver Mine legislation went over to August 26th.

The action of Marian Carr vs. S. G. Stockdale was continued to September 3d.

Defaults were entered in the action of Chartrand vs. Peugh.

A decree was made establishing notice to creditors in the estate of Benny F. Barnes.

Petitions for notices to creditors were continued to August 26th in the estates of M. A. E. Hinkston, Samuel H. Church and Frank H. Church.

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YELLOW FRONT. PETALUMA

Hotchkiss Winery at Trenton Burned.

The big W. J. Hotchkiss winery at Trenton was destroyed by fire Tuesday morning at 2 o'clock. The fire broke out in the foreman's residence adjoining the winery to which the flames were quickly communicated and both were soon a mass of smouldering ruins.

The burned building contained all the latest appliances for wine making and distilling and the machinery is probably ruined. Many of the farmers in the vicinity of Trenton, says the Santa Rosa *Republican*, have their grapes contracted to this winery for several years to come. The winery cannot be rebuilt in time to handle this season's crop, but will be in running order for next year's vintage. It is understood that the winery is insured for a large sum. The loss is about $20,000.

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Schellville News Items

Constable Chas. Ohm spent Tuesday in the metropolis.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lawlor have moved into the Manuel place.

Misses Dora Howe and Rita Hammond drove over from Napa Sunday and spent the day at Eden Dale.

There will be Episcopal services at the San Luis school house on Sunday at 11 A. M. Rev. Robt. Macfarlane will officiate.

A Sunday School was organized in the San Luis school house last Sunday. The attendance of children was very encouraging.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lord entertained a number of their friends last Saturday evening at their home here. A good time was had by all.

Sunday, September 1st, Bishop Moreland of Sacramento will preach and hold a confirmation in our public school house at 10 o'clock in the morning. He will be assisted by Rev. Robt. L. Macfarlane.

The stubble field of Jas. McMackin caught fire on Thursday afternoon and spread with great rapidity. For a time the Lubeck place was in danger, but fortunately the fire was got under control and much valuable property saved from destruction.

Shooting notices for sale at this office. Ones that will keep hunters off your place. *

SUMMER RESORT.

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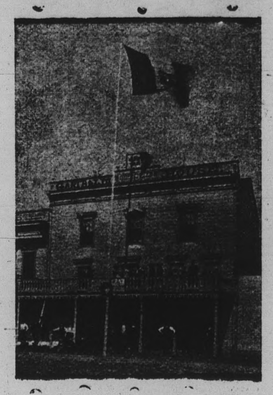

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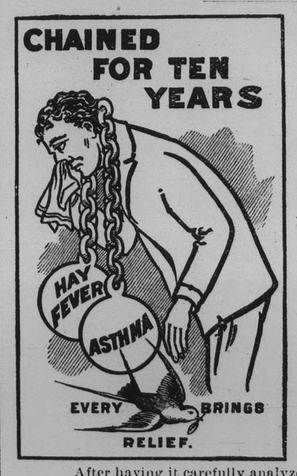

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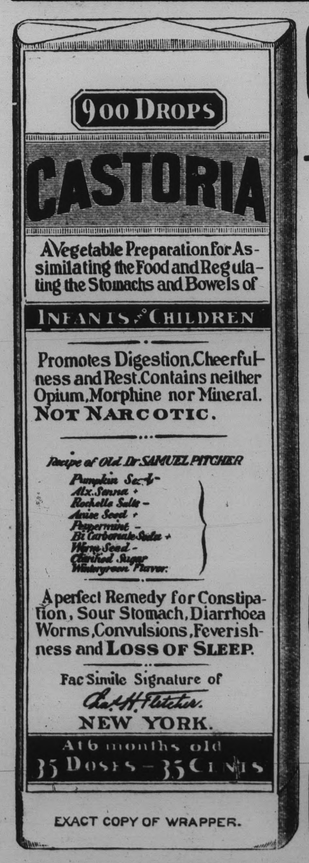
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SONOMA, AUGUST 24, 1901.

CITY OFFICIAL PAPER.

Local Brevities

Sweet corn at Platt's Market. *

Sliced ham at Platt's Market. *

Cash Price for Eggs at Platt's Market. *

The Daily Call and Index-Tribune $7 per year.

The mornings the past week have been remarkably cool for August.

The Senator Jones ranch turned out 7,500 sacks of red oats this season.

Bed lounge for sale, almost new. Enquire at the INDEX-TRIBUNE office.

Watermelons—Platt has some fine ones, large and sweet. Call and try them. *

A large number of people of town and valley attended the circus in Santa Rosa Thursday.

Sun Shades, just the thing for summer. Have one put on your wagon by Wilson, Main street, Petaluma. *

The new warehouse of the Sonoma Valley Bank will be completed the 15th of next month. The contractor is B. P. Norris.

Have a Sun Umbrella put on your wagon. Call at Wilson's, Main street, Petaluma, and see how they work. Finest thing in summer. *

A three-mile grass fire swept the country south of Ignacio last Sunday. St. Vincent's Orphan Asylum was at one time in imminent danger of being burned down.

Help Wanted—Salesmen to sell $20 typewriter. Will do equally as good work as any $100 machine. Good pay to hustlers. 710 New York Life Bld'g, Chicago. *

The City Trustees have been sitting as a Board of Equalization every evening the past week. Few changes have been made in the assessment roll.

Richard Fussell rounded up five more stray sheep one day this week. These latter belonged to another band that stampeded on the road while *en route* from Schellville to Vallejo.

Wm. H. Kerner of the "O K" has set up in his saloon a brand new two hundred dollar nickle-in-the-slot machine to which is attached an automatic music box.

Dove-shooters report the birds few and far between in their old haunts in this valley and few decent bags have been secured. There is sport ahead, however, when the quail season opens October 1st. The birds, now nearly full grown, are to be seen in large numbers all over the valley.

The lumber for the new warehouse which is to erected by the Sonoma Valley Bank on the California Northwestern Railway reservation at this place is upon the ground. The building, which will be used for general storage purposes, will be pushed through to speedy completion.

The following guests are registered at the Union Hotel this week: Mrs. Monet and children, Miss Monet, San Francisco; Andrew Berg, Miss Berg, Alaska; Miss Anderson, Portland, O.; A. J. Allen and wife, San Francisco; A. J. Cruikshank, Fred. Cirimele, M. J. Schultz, R. Rosenthal, San Francisco; C. E. Dutcher, Supt. Central California Gas and Electric Power Co.; J. D Wadsworth, H. L. Moore, San Francisco.

The Stornetti Bros. of Lakeville have leased Mrs. R. J. Snyder's ranch south of town, formerly the Sears place, for a term of years. They will take possession October 1st. The ranch, which is one of the largest and finest in the valley for dairying purposes and general farming, has been under lease to the Yenni Bros. for several years, who will dissolve partnership and engage in dairying individually.

Benj. Weed, armed with six crabs and a smile, sallied forth one day this week on his wheel to visit the Dresel hunting party. His thoughts were on the wary deer, the deer were on the mountain and he was on his way, when piff! his tire blew up. Benj. did not give us the details of his mix up, but returned to town vowing that he had a very close shave. His friends smile, not that they doubt his veracity for he is the semblance of truth itself, but because his upper lip is graced by an altogether too flourishing a moustache.

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ENGINEER VON GELDERN.

Adds New Laurels to His Engineering Skill.

The blowing up of Arch Rock in the harbor of San Francisco, at noon on Friday of last week, was a gigantic undertaking and as an engineering feat ex[illegible] the destruction of Hell Gate, [illegible] other similar undertaking in the United States.

The engineer having charge of the work was U. S. Government Engineer Otto Von Geldern. The destruction of this great menace to shipping was complete to the required depth of thirty-four feet at low tide and has added new laurels to Mr. Von Geldern's reputation as an eminent engineer.

We might add here that Mr. Von Geldern is also the City Engineer of Sonoma and as such has mapped out one of the best and cheapest municipal water systems for Sonoma in the State. His proposition was submitted to the voters last year and lacked but four votes of the necessary two thirds of carrying. As it cannot be improved upon for the money it is only a question of time when the proposition will be re-submitted.

A Craditable Performance.

"The Katydids," a tuneful operette, was given in Union Hall on Thursday and Friday nights for the benefit of the Congregational Church. The performance was a very creditable one, reflecting much skill on the part of the coaches, Mrs. Appleton and Miss Claire Hope.

The stage settings were appropriate, the light effects good and the costumes most artistic.

The singing was excellent and Queen Titania and her pretty courtiers certainly won the hearts of their audiences at both performances.

Successful Deer Hunt.

Sol. Carriger and Wm. Fowler in a morning's hunt on Sunday last killed three big four-pointer bucks on Sonoma Mountain a few miles west of town. The largest of the trio weighed 130 and the smallest 100 pounds. The big game was hauled into town early in the afternoon and attracted a great deal of attention. Deer in the vicinity of Sonoma appear to be more numerous of late years than ever and are affording local hunters great sport this season.

Vasquez Place to Be Sold on Foreclosure.

The Vasquez place, facing on Napa street and First-street West and embracing several acres of town lots and improvements, will be sold at Commissioner's sale at 12 o'clock to-day. The property was foreclosed by Mrs. Wegner to secure the payment of a note executed in favor of the late Ed. Wegner and secured by mortgage. The amount involved is $1260 86.

Painful Accident.

Jess Hanks, the well-known young blacksmith employed in Adler's wagonmaking shop, met with a painful accident Sunday. While out walking he discovered a rare specimen of thistle growing in a field in the outskirts of town and in attempting to climb a fence to secure the prize slipped and fell, injuring himself internally. He has been laid up all the week and is under the care of Dr. Thomson.

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Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, no Pay. Price 25 cents.

Personal.

Walter Hyde of San Francisco has been visiting on the farm.

Prof. Neumann of San Francisco is in town and is the guest of S. Schocken.

Dr. H. W. Gottenberg is having his residence on Napa street wired by the Sonoma Electric Light Company.

Dr. G. D. Rich gave a stag dinner to some of his friends on Wednesday evening at mine host Ciucci's Toscano Hotel.

Mrs. Joe McMullen and little son have been the guests of Mrs. Jeff Gage in Santa Rosa. While there they attended the circus.

Conductor Crane and wife will shortly leave for Kentucky where they will enjoy a short vacation. Mr. Crane has been in the employ of the San Francisco and North Pacific railway people for twenty-one years and is one of the most popular men on the road.

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ELECTRIC POWER FOR SONOMA.

Superintendent E. C. Dutcher of the Central California Gas and Electric Power Company, with a force of surveyors, linemen, etc., is making his headquarters in this place for the present. The following employees of the company are registered at the Union Hotel: Superintendent Dutcher, John W. Grau, right of way agent; M. Pedersen, W. F. Smartt, F. A. Holden, H. M. Brackett, A. McFarland, J. Poland, W. Clark, F. Nelson, Wm. Brown, H. L. Worthington, H. J. Doherty, A J. Kelly, S. C. Curnow, D. Barnett, M. Anderson and A. J. Smith.

This force of men, together with a number of others who are housed in various parts of town, are erecting poles between this place and Petaluma, one third of the distance having already been covered. When that city will have been reached the men will be put to work on the line between Sonoma and Napa and will meet a force working this way.

When the line is completed to Petaluma and Santa Rosa it is said the company will extend its service through Sonoma Valley northwesterly, taking in El Verano, Agua Caliente, Eldridge, Glen Ellen and Kenwood. So far no offorts have been made to secure rights of way through that section, nor has there been overtures made toward buying out the electric light company of Sonoma.

Just now the efforts of the big company are being centered on its main line between Napa and Santa Rosa *via* Petaluma.

The coming of this harnessed electric power from the high Sierras will no doubt prove a great boon to Sonoma and Marin counties.

MRS. LIZZIE CARRIGER AGAIN SUCCESSFUL.

The P. I. Company Denied a New Trial in Its Ejectment Suit.

Judge Burnett of the Superior Court of this county on Tuesday last denied the motion for a new trial in the ejectment suit instituted by the Pacific Improvement Company against Mrs. Lizzie Carriger.

The P. I. Company brought suit in the Superior Court several years ago to oust Mrs. Carriger from a small farm on its El Verano tract and the suit has been stubbornly contested and defended by both parties to the controversy ever since.

Last year the court rendered judgment in favor of Mrs. Carriger and the company moved that the judgment be set aside and a new trial granted, which Judge Burnett refused as above stated.

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El Verano.

Miss May Mullen spent Wednesday in San Francisco.

A large number of our people attended the church entertainment in Sonoma Thursday evening.

Mitchell Mullen, who recently was injured in the Union Works, returned to his home in this place Sunday evening. Young Mullen has been in St. Luke's Hospital and while there received much kindly attention from Miss Sara Cady, formerly of this valley, now a nurse in that institution.

Episcopal Services.

There will be an Episcopal service in the Flowery School house to-morrow (Sunday), at 3:45 P. M., Rev. Robert L. Macfarlane officiating. Bishop Moreland will hold services in the same place on Sunday, September 1st at 7 P. M.

Do you want a brand new Wheeler & Wilson $75 Sewing Machine that has never been used. If so apply at this office. This machine will be warranted and sold cheap on the installment plan. *

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Weekly Crop Bulletin.

United States Department of Agriculture. Climate and Crop Bulletin of the Weather Bureau, California Section, Coast and Bay Division, for the week ending Monday, August, 19th, 1901.

Warm days, cool nights and foggy mornings have continued through the week, and conditions have been favorable for all crops. Harvesting, threshing and hay-baling are progressing. In some of the northern counties wheat and barley are reported light crops, but in central and southern counties the yield is better, and nearly average in some places. Hops have made rapid growth and are in excellent condition and picking will begin soon. Beets, corn and potatoes are doing well. Fruit trees are in good condition. Grapes continue thrifty, and in some sections good crops will be gathered. The decideous fruit crop in the Santa Clara Valley is much below average, but most of the fruit is of good quality. Late fruits are ripening rapidly. Prunes are turning out better than expected in Sonoma county.

Swiss Celebration Notes.

A liberal sum of money has been subscribed by the citizens of this place to help out the Swiss celebration to be held on Saturday, September 21st.

The picnic grounds have not as yet been selected by the committee but efforts are being made to secure the McGill place recently purchased by Philip Bill.

Hale's
Petaluma.

Harvest Sale

Gives you an opportunity to purchase at a remarkable discount some of the best goods the world produces. We have many hundred bargains for which we have not space to advertise. You cannot afford to miss this sale.

$6.49 Mens' Suits

200 Mens' Good All-Wool Suits, worth $10 and $12, go in the Harvest Sale at $6.49 suit. . . . . .

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Mens' Fancy Duck Vests, worth $2.00, sale price 50c
Mens' Silk Front Golf Shirts, worth $1.00, sale price 50c
Mens' White Crusher Hats, worth $1.00, sale price 50c
Mens' Odd Summer Coats.....10c each

25c Each.

20 doz Boys' Light Color Tennis Shirts sale price .....25c each
10 doz. Mens' Oil Tan Green Goat Gloves, sale price .....25c pair
Straw and Crash Hats, worth 50c, sale price .....25c each
Childrens' Golf Capes, worth 25c, sale price .....10c each

$1.50 Pair.

Mens' odd Cassimere Pants, worth $2 00 and $2.50, sale price.. $1.50 pair

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Lot of Boys' Long Pant Suits, ages 11, 12, 13, 17, 18 only, in light and medium colors, good quality, worth $6, sale price ..... $2.50 suit
Boys and Childrens' Short Pant Suits, worth $4.00 and $4.50, all go in the Harvest Sale at..... $2.50 sutt

Harvest Sale Prices on Dry Goods and Fancy Goods.

Hale's
GOOD GOODS.

A GOOD SUGGESTION.

A Communication from an Enterprising Lady.

MR. EDITOR:

The City Trustees are creating a sinking fund in order to erect a new City Hall in the Plaza. The building of a modern edifice on this site is looked forward to with much satisfaction by all progress-loving citizens. It will give an imposing appearance to the town and will altogether tend to improve and beautify our surroundings. If the architecture is well chosen a splendid structure can be erected without much cost and the primitive aspect which has too long held Sonoma in its vise will steadily vanish.

We do not want to stop here. Let us assist the city government. With a new City Hall in sight let us try and beautify the Plaza. Let us prepare a fitting place for the new building.

We do not want one thing to be laughing at another. The Plaza's present appearance blends very nicely with the old pavilion, but ill-kept grounds with fox-tail, wild oats and tar weed adornment must go when the hand of progress begins to shape things.

Down in Santa Fe a similar and irregular plaza covered with a rank growth of alfalfa has lately been transformed into a fine park with sloping lawns, bright flowers and a handsome drinking fountain.

Healdsburg, Vallejo and Petaluma were once no better off than we. To-day they possess finely improved public squares and every modern adornment. A ladies' improvement club did it all.

Progressive women have made these cities thoroughly up to date places.

What is the matter with the ladies of Sonoma undertaking a similar improvement? The men may disagree and be divided into factions. They may not find it possible to co-operate but there is no reason in the world why the women should not unite.

Let us organize an Improvement Club whose sole object will be to devise ways and means to beautify and maintain the Plaza.

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SIGNALING TO MARS.

The Difficulty of Doing So by Means of Light.

The very largest city that this earth has ever known would be altogether too small to be visible to a being dwelling on the planet Mars, even if that being were endeavoring to see it with a telescope as powerful as the greatest and most perfect instrument in any observatory on this globe.

If the whole extent of Lake Superior was covered with petroleum and if that petroleum was set on fire, then, I think, we may admit that an inhabitant of Mars who was furnished with a telescope as good as that which Percival Lowell uses at Flagstaff might be able to see that something had happened. But we must not suppose that the mighty conflagration would appear to the Martian as a very conspicuous object. It would, rather, be a very small feature, but still I think it would not be beyond the reach of a practiced observer in that planet.

On the other hand, if an area the size of Lake Superior on Mars was to be flooded with petroleum and that petroleum was to be kindled, we should expect to witness the event from here not as a great and striking conflagration, but as a tiny little point of just discernible light. The disk of Mars is not a large object, and the conflagration would not extend over the three hundredth part of that disk.

It is sufficient to state these facts to show that the possibility of signaling to Mars is entirely beyond the power of human resources.—Sir Robert S. Ball in Independent.

BLUNDERS IN FICTION.

The Queer Mistakes That Are Sometimes Made by Authors.

We smile as we read and pass swiftly by the stories of maidens that wander in "lonely woods" at unearthly hours of night, always clad in "a soft, white clinging gown." Now, every girl knows that the average maiden is too much afraid of tramps and snakes to wander in "lonely woods." The weather, too, appears to perplex our novelists, for not infrequently they begin a chapter at dawn, there are a few moments' conversation, and then the "sun sets in lurid banks behind the distant empurpled mountains."

I am reminded at the outset of an English story written by an author of repute where the heroine in one scene was made on one page to stoop down and tie her shoestring, while three pages farther on, directly following, it was said of the same girl that she had remained barefooted the entire day. In another story a blind woman is made to view the hero through spectacles before the tale is ended.

In a French novel—and we generally consider French such literary masters—a heroine is clearly made to go direct from her bed to the breakfast table, out shopping, to an afternoon tea and to dinner in her robe de nuit! Cousins suddenly transformed into brothers without a moment's warning are numerous in this detective's library. Thus one is amused to find the most marvelous mistakes in books which we think we have carefully read.—Modern Culture.

Golf In the Old Days.

Centuries back golf was a pastime of the royal family, though then usually played in Scotland. The Stuart family was very fond of the game, and the first English club was established at Blackheath in 1608 by James I. His eldest son, Henry, frequently played and on one occasion nearly struck by accident his tutor with a club, whereupon he coolly remarked, "Had I done so I had but paid my debts." Charles I was playing golf when he received the news of the Irish rebellion. James, duke of York, afterward James II, was another ardent player. Golf is frequently mentioned in ancient Scottish records and in the fifteenth century was prohibited because it interfered with the practice of archery. Strutt considered it the most ancient game at ball requiring a bat.—London Chronicle.

The Squirrel Hunter's Weapon.

The cream of squirrel hunting is enjoyed by the man who uses a light rifle of small caliber and medium power. The ".22 long" as now turned out by our leading makers is an excellent weapon—in fact, the best in the world for the purpose. Though not of sufficient range to be dangerous to people or stock at a distance, it throws lead with surprising accuracy to the tops of the tallest trees. Good rifle shots always aim for the squirrel's head both to add to the difficulty of the sport and to avoid spoiling meat. And be it known that a squirrel's head at a range of 40 or 50 yards is no easy mark. If a reader doubts this, let him go to the woods for a day, keep all empty shells, and at the end of the day let him try to make the dead squirrels and the empty shells tally.—E. W. Sandys in Outing.

Early Birds.

The green finch is the earliest riser. It pipes as early as half past 1 in the morning. The blackcap begins at half past 2. It is nearly 4 o'clock before the blackbird appears. It is heard half an hour before the thrush, and the chirp of the robin begins about the same length of time before that of the wren. The house sparrow and the tomtit take the last stage of the list.

Advantages of Port Cities.

The revenue New York derives from the rental of piers to the Cunard, the White Star, the American, the Atlantic Transport, the French, the Leyland, the National and other lines is nearly $1,000,000 annually. The White Star line pays the largest rental, $217,000; the Cunard line is next with $120,000 and the American line third with $88,400.—Ainslee's.

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"I had a severe attack of bilious colic, got a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, took two doses and was entirely cured," says Rev. A. A. Power, of Emporia, Kan. "My neighbor across the street was sick for over a week, had two or three bottles of medicine from the doctor. He used them for three or four days without relief, then called in another doctor who treated him for some days and gave him no relief, so discharged him. I went over to see him the next morning. He said his bowels were in a terrible fix, that they had been running off so long that it was almost bloody flux. I asked him if he had tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and he said, 'No.' I went home and brought him my bottle and gave him one dose; told him to take another dose in fifteen or twenty minutes if he did not find relief, but he took no more and was entirely cured." For sale by F. Duhring. *

At Bed Time

I take a pleasant herb drink, the next morning I feel bright and my complexion is better. My doctor says it acts gently on the stomach, liver and kidneys, and is a gentle laxative. It is made from herbs, and is prepared as easily as tea. It is called Lane's Medicine. All druggists sell it at 25cts and 50cts. Lane's family medicine moves the bowels each day. If you cannot get it send for a free sample. Address, Orator F. Woodward, Le Roy, N. Y.

"Through the months of June and July our baby was teething and took a running off of the bowels and sickness of the stomach," says O. P. M. Hollliday, of Deming, Ind. "His bowels would move from five to eight times a day. I had a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in the house and gave him four drops in a teaspoonful of water and he got better at once." Sold by F. Duhring. *

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In the matter of the Estate of JAMES BURNS, deceased. No. 3325.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE creditors of, and all persons having claims against, the above named deceased, to present them within four months after the date of this notice, to the County Clerk of the County of Sonoma, State of California, at his office in the City of Santa Rosa.

Dated July 8th, 1901.

SOMERS B. FULTON, County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Superior Court of the County of Sonoma. By M. G. HALL, Deputy Clerk.

In the Superior Court

OF THE

County of Sonoma, State California.

In the matter of the application of EMMA ANGELA TUKEY, for a change of name.

The petition of Emma Angela Tukey respectfully shows: That she was born in Malheur county, State of Oregon; that she is now a resident of the County of Sonoma, State of California; that she is over the age of eighteen years; that her present name is Emma Angela Tukey; that she desires that her name be changed to Emma Angela Shea for the reason that she has been divorced from her husband by a decree of divorce of the Superior Court in and for the City and County of San Francisco, State of California.

Wherefore your petitioner prays that her name may be changed to Emma Angela Shea.

H. W. A. WESKE, Attorney for Petitioner.

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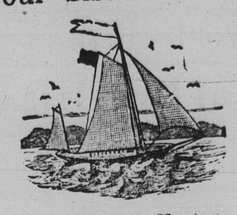

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7.20 PM	7.15 PM	intermediates	3.37 PM	3 37 PM
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